

Appl. No. 09/595,354  
Amendment dated August 10, 2004  
Reply to Office Action of May 10, 2004

**REMARKS:**

Claims 4-19 are pending are pending in this application. Claims 1-3 have been previously canceled.

Applicants note with appreciation the Examiner's indication that Claims 7-10 and 13-19 are allowed. The remaining claims are canceled by this amendment. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully solicit an early Notice of Allowance.

In the event that the Examiner is of the opinion that the prosecution of this application can be advanced thereby, he is invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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